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THE PLAGUE IS SPREADING.

Near Two Thousand Deaths During One Week in British East India.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Oct. 2.—Reports to the marine hospital service from all parts of the world show a continued spread of the plague in most sections.

In British East India, during the week ended August 2nd last, there were 2,622 new plague cases and 1,930 deaths recorded. In the Bombay presidency there was an increase of more than 200 deaths over the previous week. There were 136 plague cases in the city of Bombay that week and many others suspected.

In Egypt the total number of bubonic plague cases from April 7th to September 2nd was 132, with sixty deaths.

In Queensland the destruction of rats continues, but the official report shows 32 plague cases, including ten deaths, from February 28th to July 6th.

In China the port and town of Swatow and neighboring districts the plague is steadily decreasing.

CONVENTION OF BISHOPS AT SAN FRANCISCO

A Triennial Gathering—Formal Opening To-day—Proposed New Canons Relating to Marriage and Divorce.

(Associated Press.)

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—The triennial convention of the Episcopal bishops, clergy and laity was inaugurated at 7:30 a. m. with the celebration of the Holy Communion in the local Episcopal church. At 11 a. m. the convention was formally opened at Trinity church with solemn religious services. Seventy-five bishops assembled in the guild room of the church and put on their robes. They then formed in procession and marched up Bush street to the main entrance of the church, continuing up the centre aisle. The procession was headed by Rev. F. W. Clappett, rector of Trinity church. The choir sang the Processional hymn. Communion followed the preparatory prayers, and the religious offices concluded with the Recessional.

The convocation sermon was preached by Bishop Morris, of Oregon, the senior bishop attending.

In the afternoon the house of deputies met and organized for business.

Marriage and Divorce.

New York, Oct. 2.—The following sections of canons 14 and 15 in the proposed new canons of the Episcopal church are the two principal ones relating to marriage and divorce to be acted on to-day at the Episcopal convention at San Francisco.

Canon 14, section 4.—No minister shall solemnize marriage between any two persons unless by inquiry he shall have satisfied himself that neither person has been or is the husband or wife of any other person then living, unless the former marriage was annulled by a decree of some civil court of competent jurisdiction for cause existing before such former marriage.

Canon 15.—Of the discipline of divorced persons. 1. No person divorced for cause arising after marriage and marrying again during the life time of the other party to the divorce shall be admitted to baptism or confirmation, or received into holy communion except when penitent and separated from the other party to the subsequent marriage, or when penitent and in immediate danger of death, but this canon shall not apply to the innocent party to a divorce for the cause of adultery.

CANADIAN KILLED.

Lieut. Shirling Shot in an Engagement With the Boers.

(Associated Press.)

Toronto, Oct. 2.—News has been received here that Lieut. George Shirling, late of the Northwest Mounted Police, was shot dead in an engagement with the Boers. Shirling was a magnificent type of Canadian manhood, standing six feet four inches, and while a member of Strathcona's Horse was specially mentioned for bravery in the field by Lord Roberts. At the time of his death he was a member of the Royal Yeomanry.

ONE MILLION IN GOLD.

(Associated Press.)

Seattle, Wn., Oct. 2.—The steamer Humboldt has arrived from Skagway with 210 passengers and over \$1,000,000 in gold.

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APPEALING TO THE SUPREME COURT

HEARING THE BURRARD ELECTION CASE TO-DAY

Toronto Business Men Interviewed on Union of Newfoundland With Canada—Ontario Cheese Wins Medal.

(Special to the Times.)

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—The Burrard election case came up in the Supreme court to-day. An appeal was taken to the Supreme court against the judgment of Mr. Justice Martin, of the Supreme court of British Columbia, who held that the failure of the petitioner, Duval, against the return of G. R. Maxwell to file a copy of the petition with the local registrar was fatal to the petition.

Mr. Lewis, of Lewis & Smellie, appeared for appellant; Duval, and Mr. McDougall, of Latchford, McDougall & Daly, for the respondent.

Mr. Lewis held that the present case was in part the same as Lisgar, the one only difference being that in the present case the petition was filed two days late, while in the Lisgar case it was not filed at all. In the Lisgar case in 1891 it was held by three to two, Justices Strong and G. W. Wynne dissenting, that failure to file was fatal.

Judgment in the Burrard election appeal was reserved.

The Victoria election case comes on to-morrow. Mr. Meek, who appeared for Messrs. Earle and Prior, was not ready to proceed.

Command at Review.

In view of the trouble between Gen. Hutton and Lord Seymour on the question of the command at Halifax, it is understood that the government has taken precautions so that a similar condition of affairs will not arise during the review at Halifax. It is understood that the law officers of the Crown have decided that in such cases the command is vested in the commanding officer of the Canadian militia, and not the senior Imperial officer at Halifax.

Question of Union.

(Associated Press.)

Toronto, Oct. 2.—The Globe this morning publishes a number of interviews with prominent business men of Toronto on the union of Newfoundland with Canada, all of whom are of the opinion that the time is opportune, and if the French shore question can be disposed of it would be a good thing for both countries.

Natural Gas.

Natural gas in considerable volume has been struck about a mile and a half from Bloomfield, in Prince Edward county.

Beat All-Comers.

The provincial agricultural department is advised that Ontario cheese, in competition with the whole of North and South America, has won the gold medal at the Pan-American exposition.

Clarke Wallace's Condition.

Woodbridge, Ont., Oct. 2.—Clarke Wallace's condition this morning was a little more favorable.

C. P. R. Annual Meeting.

Montreal, Oct. 2.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific railway shareholders was held at the company's general office at noon to-day. The reports submitted were of a gratifying nature.

Directors to issue bonds not exceeding \$200,000, for the acquisition of steamships and to aid in their equipment for the Pacific coast business, was ratified as was also a resolution authorizing the directors to set aside \$250,000 as a pension fund for employees. Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy intimated that employees would not be called upon to pay anything into the fund; it would be a company fund. The old board was re-elected. Sir Thomas was the recipient of many congratulations from the shareholders.

Sifton Murder Trial.

London, Oct. 2.—The evidence submitted by the defence in the Sifton case this morning went to show that the blood stains on the ladder in the barn were due to bloody sheep skins being thrown down through the trap door and striking the ladder. Evidence was also submitted to show that Walter Herbert, after his arrest when his alleged confession had been published in the papers, had maintained that his first story was true, but that the confession was false.

FATAL QUARREL.

(Associated Press.)

Dillon, Mont., Oct. 2.—D. W. Mills, speech of Chicago, formerly general auditor for the Southern Pacific railroad, died here last night as the result of the injuries inflicted by J. P. Bromberg during a quarrel. The only eye-witness to this affair, says, as does Bromberg, that Mills had been hit in the hip pocket as if about to draw a revolver.

ANOTHER FIGHT WITH BOERS.

British Lost Two Officers and Twenty-one Men Killed—The Boers' Casualties Heavy.

(Associated Press.)

London, Oct. 2.—Lord Kitchener to-day reports that two officers and thirty-one men have been killed in an attack made on Col. Kekewich's camp at Noetwill.

The Boers, who were under Commandants Delery and Kemp, had fourteen officers and one hundred and fourteen men wounded, after two hours' night fighting, when the Boers were driven off.

Col. Kekewich was among the wounded.

FLAMES ARE SPREADING.

Fire Has Already Destroyed Plant of Milling Company at Alton, Ill.

Loss, \$500,000.

(Associated Press.)

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 2.—A fire that broke out in the plant of the Standard Milling Co., at Alton, Ill., about 10:30 destroyed that structure and 300,000 bushels of wheat, and driven by a high wind, is spreading rapidly to adjoining buildings.

The St. Louis fire department has been called on for help, and has just sent up two complete fire companies on a special train.

Later.—The total loss so far is estimated at \$500,000, of which probably \$200,000 is of the E. O. S. Standard Milling Co.

THE FIRE HAS BEEN EXTINGUISHED

Avenues For Air Are Closed to Workings of Extension Mine—Bodies Will Not Be Recovered.

(Special to the Times.)

Namimio, Oct. 2.—The latest news from Extension is that all the avenues for air are closed to the workings in the mine. An intense heat is felt on the surface near the fan shaft, indicating fire within. The mines have to be kept stopped to prevent danger, so there is no chance of recovering the bodies. The only danger felt is that an explosion may occur, driving out some of the stoppings.

Company officials say the tunnel workings will be unaffected. Preparations are in progress for commencing work soon, and lumber is being taken for a new fan house. New fan shafts will be opened when the fire is extinguished for No. 2 and No. 3 stopes.

Inspector Morgan gives the opinion that the fire is now out at Extension. He tested gas escaping through the stopping and says it would put out any fire.

Work is to commence in the tunnel this afternoon. The workings are separated from No. 2 workings by 12 feet of sand.

THE CUP CONTESTS.

Sir Thomas Lipton Wants Races to Be Sifted Each Day.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Oct. 2.—Sir Thomas Lipton, to change the sailing schedule for the America Cup so that a race shall be held each day, except Sunday, instead of an alternate days as at present. The formal application for the change was made in the form of a letter, which Sir Thomas forwarded to-day. The proposition is to be acted upon at once.

Sir Thomas said to-day as he looked at the white-caps kicked up by the 12-knot breeze which has been blowing since daybreak: "See what a splendid opportunity Shamrock II. is missing. With this wind yesterday we would have scored a sure win."

Outlook Favorable.

Washington, Oct. 2.—10:30 a. m. The outlook is favorable for a racing breeze from the northwest quarter of Sand Hook on Thursday. The weather will be overcast followed by clearing. (Signed) Garriett, forecast official.

Asks for Re-Measurement.

New York, Oct. 2.—The New York Yacht Club was notified this morning by Sir Thomas Lipton that he desired a re-measurement of Shamrock II., as early to-morrow morning as possible, as it was his desire to take out some of the yacht's ballast. His reason is not known. Shamrock now allows Columbia 436 seconds in a thirty-mile race, and any shortening of the water line, if it were only a matter of two or three inches, would affect this time allowance in favor of the challenger. A portion of the challenge committee of the New York Yacht Club met members of the Committee on the challenge of the Royal Ulster Yacht Club this morning to talk over the proposition of Sir Thomas Lipton for a race every day except Sunday. No decision had been reached at noon, but later a member of the challenge committee of the New York Yacht Club intimated that while there might not be a race on Friday of this week the yachts would race every day next week provided, of course, that the contest should not be decided before that time.

LEFT OVER FIVE MILLIONS.

(Associated Press.)

New York, Oct. 2.—The official bequest of the estate of Jacob S. Rogers, the locomotive builder, of Paterson, N. J., who died last week, is \$5,000,000. The will, which is a will of a little more than \$5,000,000, is a will of a little more than \$5,000,000.

MAN TAKEN FROM JAIL AND LYNCHED

PRISON BROKEN INTO EARLY THIS MORNING

Two Hundred Men, Wearing Masks, Were Engaged in the Affair—Victim Declared His Innocence.

(Associated Press.)

Helena, Mont., Oct. 2.—James Edward Brady, a man who assaulted five-year-old Ida Pugsley in Helena, yesterday, was taken from the jail by a mob at 1:30 this morning and hanged to a telegraph pole in the Hay Market square, about three blocks from the jail. The crowd was orderly, and after the hanging quickly dispersed.

There were about 200 men engaged in the affair, and they were all masked. They attacked the jail door with a battering ram and it soon yielded. On gaining admittance they demanded, at the point of a gun, the keys of the jailer, and threatened, if he did not yield the man, they would kill him. The jailer then got the man out of his cell and he was given to the mob.

When they first took him, Brady asked: "What is it, gentlemen?" The march to the hanging place was quiet. There Brady was given a chance to say a word. He declared that they had the wrong man, although he was positively identified by his victim and a score of other persons who had seen him with the child. He also announced that some money that was due him from the Montana Central railroad be sent to a niece, and then he was pulled up. The end of the rope was tied to the pole and the crowd dispersed.

Later Sheriff McConnell cut the body down and placed it in a coffin. There will be an investigation to-day.

Two Negroes Lynched.

Shelbyville, Ky., Oct. 2.—Jimbo Fields, aged 16, and Clarence Garnett, aged 18, both colored, were lynched here early this morning for the alleged murder of Willie Hart, a printer, who was stoned to death on Saturday night, Sept. 1st. The mob went to the jail and were refused entrance. The doors were then battered down and the prisoners, quickly taken and swung from a railroad trestle. The details of Hart's death are inaccurately known, but the evidence was conclusive that Fields and Garnett were his murderers.

GEN. WU KILLS MANY REBELS.

United States Consul Reports Fighting in the Sing Ling District.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Oct. 2.—The state department has received a cable-gram from United States Consul McWade, at Canton, confirming the reported uprising in the Sing Ling district. The dispatch follows:

"Canton, Oct. 2.—To Secretary of State, Washington: General Wu, with 1,500 soldiers, routed Triad rebels in Sing Ling district, Swatow, killing 200 and capturing and decapitating many. German missionaries fled safely to Hong-kong. (Signed) McWade."

This dispatch, taken in connection with previous advices, the department had from Minister Conner, leads to the belief that the Boers have had nothing to do with the present outbreak, but it is a local disturbance growing out of famine conditions.

NOTES FROM VANCOUVER.

(Special to the Times.)

Vancouver, Oct. 2.—The Royal train was run up to Westminster Junction this morning to be turned around on the "Y" there. The cars being vestibuled solid, it was difficult to take the train to pieces here and turn it in the regular way on the "Y" line. While being shunted there the engine was run into by a cattle train from Calgary, and the engines of both were damaged. The Seattle-bound express was held here until 11 o'clock this morning waiting for the track to be cleared. None of the cars on the Royal train were injured.

Henry's mill at Hazelmore was burned last night. The loss is \$5,000.

EMIGRATION FROM ITALY.

New Regulations—Only Ports From Which Emigrants May Sail.

(Associated Press.)

Washington, Oct. 2.—A report to the marine hospital service announces that on September 3rd a new Italian emigration act took effect. It makes Naples, Genoa and Palermo the only Italian ports from which emigration will be permitted. Venice being taken off the list. Provision is made for supervision of emigration. The companies carrying emigrants are to be represented by agents known as "Vettore," who are responsible to the Italian government for the enforcement of the regulations.

SWEPT AWAY BY FLOODS.

(Associated Press.)

Barcelona, Oct. 2.—Wildflood devastation has been caused by floods in the districts of San Sebastian and Florenza. Cottages have been swept away, and whole villages are inundated. Many families have been cut off from outside, and are in peril.

TO HOTELKEEPERS. FOR SALE As Going Concerns

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GLORIOUS WEATHER FOR THE DEPARTURE

ROYAL GUESTS SEE THE CITY AT BEST

Reception at Parliament Buildings Last Night Very Largely Attended—Dinner at Government House.

Another day of glorious sunshine dawned this morning to further enhance the pleasure of the Royal visit to Victoria. The day was an ideal one for sight seeing, such as the day was devoted to by the Royal party.

The programme for the day was most informal in character. The Royal guests had a whole day practically to themselves, and they enjoyed it to the full. The delightful drives about the city seen under the very best of conditions were taken advantage of by the party, and it is safe to say that this last day on the Western limit of their itinerary will remain one of the brightest spots in the memories of the party.

So far, the visit has been one of unqualified satisfaction to their Royal Highnesses. From the moment that they entered British Columbia they have been surrounded by scenery such as could be seen nowhere else in the world. "Talk about Switzerland," said one of the Royal suite last evening, "there is nothing in Switzerland which compares with what we saw in Banff, and at different points along the line." At Banff the Duchess came out on the veranda and, looking up at the great peaks bathed in a newly fallen covering of snow, she exclaimed, "Beautiful, beautiful." Her sentiments were echoed by all those in her party.

And last night's illumination of the city deserves to rank with anything of the kind which has been attempted throughout the tour. As their Royal Highnesses swept down Government street, bright as day with the myriad lights which blazed from business houses as well as from the Dominion and provincial buildings, the effect was almost fairylike. The brilliance of the ships in the harbor added that touch of marine splendor which seemed to complete the picture.

The reception at the parliament buildings was attended very largely, five or six hundred citizens being present to their Royal Highnesses.

At 8 o'clock they leave Oak Bay and proceed on board the Empress of India, and about 10 o'clock the big liner will turn toward the Mainland, completing the last Western limit of the tour.

TO THE EXHIBITION. Drive of the Royal Party From the Naval Town.

In the description of the reception to the Royal party in yesterday's issue of the Times matter was necessarily limited, owing to the very short space of time in which there was to refer to the different events of the day. Mention was omitted of the visit of their Royal Highnesses to the Royal Naval hospital in the appointments of which they manifested keen interest.

The men of the Mounted Police had their launch at the Esquimalt hotel, their mounts being tethered and fed in the streets. Shortly after 3 o'clock the Royal party left the naval town after the different points of interest had been visited, and drove rapidly toward the city. The roadway was lined at intervals with men from the forts and Head street to Esquimalt with blue jackets.

As the party drove up Cormorant street a spectacle unique in its way met their gaze. Little platforms had been erected along the route, and on these the Chinese population had installed their "josses" while punk and other incense materials were burned in honor of the occasion. The pavements were lined with chattering throngs, who were all eyes, as the visitors passed through. The Oriental decorations, dragon flags, Chinese lanterns, peacock feathers and other devices peculiar to the far East made up a scene unique and striking. Their Royal Highnesses were evidently much impressed with the display. Incidentally the artists of the press company secured a number of interesting sketches, which will be seen hereafter.

Proceeding the Royal procession at some distance were a number of the guests who had attended the admiral's dinner. Quite a crowd assembled at the corner of Yates and Douglas streets, notwithstanding the fact that the bulk of the population had gone to the exhibition buildings.

As Sir Wilfrid Laurier's carriage came along a rousing cheer was given the prime minister. A lusty shout went up as the Royal procession swung on Douglas street and proceeded along that thoroughfare at a brisk trot. His Royal Highness acknowledged the greetings of his future subjects with a military salute, while the Princess bowed in acknowledgment of the ovation she received. The demonstration of en-

thusiasm marked the whole route from the city to the exhibition buildings.

THE OFFICIAL DINNER.

List of Guests Who Dined at Government House.

The official dinner tendered by His Highness the Lieutenant Governor and Lady Joly de Lotbiniere in honor of their Royal Highnesses was held last evening at Government House. The table had been tastefully decorated and presented a beautiful appearance.

Outside the building a guard of the Royal Engineers was mounted, and remained on duty until after the party had left for the parliament buildings, after which they marched back to barracks.

Those present were as follows: Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, Prince Alexander of Teck, Lady Lygon, the Hon. Mrs. Derek K. Keppel, Lord Wootton, Lt. Col. Sir Arthur Bigger, Commander Sir Chas. Cust, the Hon. Derek Keppel, Sir John Anderson, Sir Donald Wallace, Com. B. Godfrey Faussett, Capt. Viscount Clifton, Major J. H. Orr, Lieut. the Duke of Roxburgh, Sir Henry Joly and Lady Joly, Capt. Drake, A. D. C. Miss Boswell, Mr. R. B. Powell (private secretary), Rear-Admiral, Mrs. and Miss Bickford, Flag Lieut. Knox, the Bishop and Mrs. Cridge, the Bishop and Miss Perrin, Bishop Orth, Hon. E. and Mrs. Dewdney, Sir Hilbert Tupper, Senator and Mrs. Macdonald, Senator and Mrs. Tennant, Mr. Justice Burbridge, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Walker, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Irving, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Martin, Sir Henry Crease, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Prior, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Earle, Hon. D. M. and Mrs. Eberts, Hon. W. C. Wells, Hon. J. D. Prentiss, Hon. and Mrs. J. H. Turner, Mrs. Dunsinuir, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Grant, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Holmes, Lieut. Col. Gregory, Mayor Hayward, Lady Minto, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Major and Mrs. Maude, Miss Grenfell and Capt. Graham.

His Royal Highness the Duke of York, Lieut. Col. Sir Henry took in their Royal Highness and Sir Wilfrid Laurier took in Mrs. Prior.

THE VETERANS.

Interest Displayed by Their Royal Highnesses in Their Parade.

One of the noteworthy features of the Royal visit was the keen interest displayed by their Royal Highnesses in the parade of the Veterans' Association of Vancouver Island.

The men, who presented a fine appearance, were under command of Lieut. Col. Wolfenden, with Capt. Mitchell and Capt. Richardson as captain and lieutenant. Many of them wore medals, and all looked fit for another campaign.

His Royal Highness questioned Col. Wolfenden regarding his own service, and also asked that men who had seen particular service should be pointed out to him. This was done by Col. Wolfenden, and for each the Duke had a kind word of inquiry.

Her Royal Highness also manifested a keen interest in the parade, and asked Col. Wolfenden how long he had resided in the city. When he replied that he had been here over forty years she remarked, "Then you must have seen things in their initial stages."

Subsequently she made reference to the steady pace at which the parade proceeded, and expressed her admiration of them.

The Veterans' state was as follows: Lt. Col. Wolfenden, commanding; Capt. Mitchell, Capt. Richardson, W. Prevost, Capt. P. I. Clarke, E. C. B. Hughes, R. H. Jones, J. A. Kirk, J. A. Walsh, R. Scott, J. H. Fraser, J. J. Austin, Louis Watson, Robt. Scott, Jas. Pottinger, J. M. Hollins, F. M. Morrison, Capt. McIntosh, C. F. Penwell, S. Creech, Thos. Linscombe, C. Minkler, Hugh Caldwell, Dr. Powell, J. E. Stratford, A. Buchanan, J. Cowley, E. Marton, Thos. Hyman, Geo. E. Smith, Wm. Gerrie, J. R. Styles, W. Gunter, W. H. Cullin, T. Booz, W. Armstrong, T. Redding, A. Huggett, H. W. Sheppard, F. Allatt, W. Davis, Dr. Geo. J. Potts, Louis J. Seymour, A. G. Sarson, Edgar Faycott, J. G. Mann, J. Johnson, Alex. Durnan, Hy. Haydon, Wm. Lorimer, S. T. Styles, E. H. Hiscocks, A. J. Dallan, Wm. Jensen, W. H. Huxtable, Capt. Mallandaine, C. F. Moore, Robt. Foster, W. Haynes.

THE MEDALS.

Major Bizar Charged With the Distribution of 3,000 of Them.

Major Bizar, of the headquarters staff, Ottawa, who is charged with the work of distributing the South African war medals, left last evening for the East, where he is charged with the arrangements for the transportation and sustenance of the ten thousand men who are to mobilize at Toronto on the 10th for the purposes of review. Major Bizar acted as staff officer in South Africa, where he became very popular with all ranks.

Major Bizar was sent West with the 3,000 medals struck for the men who had been on service in South Africa.

These he had arranged in a large tray, so that he was able not only to hand out the medals for distribution at each of the points designated, but also to hand them to any who were not able to attend at these parades. For instance, at Revelstoke, the Major met a man, who had served at the front, but who was unable to parade at any of the points where Royalty presented the medals. The conveniently labelled trays were resorted to and the man decorated there on the station platform.

About 700 of these medals have been distributed from Quebec westward. Ontario still remains to be covered. The

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NEWS NOTES FROM EASTERN CANADA

BUSH FIRES DESTROY MANY FARM HOUSES

An Indian Murdered—Irrigation Scheme For the Northwest—Black Bass For British Columbia.



SOUTH AFRICAN MEDAL WITH CLASPS. WERE OUTNUMBERED.

Investigation Being Held Into Surprising of Company of United States Troops.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The following cablegram was received at the war department this afternoon from General Chaffee: "Manila, October 1.—To Adjutant-General, Washington: With reference to your telegram of the 30th ult., I will cable the names of missing enlisted men as soon as ascertained. The company was rushed about 6 o'clock in the morning by a large body of bolo men; about 400 Gen. Hughes thinks the surprise was due to the confidence of the commanding officer in the assertions of friendship from natives. The result of the investigation will be cabled as obtained. (Signed) Chaffee."

This message was in response to one sent Gen. Chaffee by Gen. Corbin on Sunday immediately upon receipt of the news of the disaster to Co. C, of the Ninth Infantry.

THE ATTACK ON A GUARD.

Capt. Biddle, in Charge of Troops at Canton, Submits Report.

Chicago, Oct. 1.—Major-General Otis, commanding the department of the lakes, today stated that undoubtedly there had been an assault of the guards at Canton. "I am satisfied that the assault was made and that it was made by prisoners who had escaped from the jail at Canton," said the general today. "I base my assertions on a full report, which has been submitted to me by Capt. Biddle, who is in charge of the guards at Canton. The man on whom the assault was made is one of the best soldiers in the army according to Capt. Biddle's report."

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NEWS NOTES FROM EASTERN CANADA

BUSH FIRES DESTROY MANY FARM HOUSES

An Indian Murdered—Irrigation Scheme For the Northwest—Black Bass For British Columbia.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—H. M. Gibson, chief traffic superintendent of the Manchester ship canal, is in the city. Mr. Gibson has been commissioned to visit the chief Atlantic ports on this side for the purpose of establishing new steamship lines to Manchester. He will spend a week here and then visit Boston, New York and Philadelphia.

Many Homeless.

Bush fires have done considerable damage along the line of the Intercolonial between Rimouski and Amqui, a distance of 60 miles. A number of farm houses and barns in the vicinity of Sayabec station have been burned and the occupants left penniless and homeless.

Irrigation.

The Canadian Pacific railway authorities have at present under consideration an immense scheme of irrigation for the Northwest, by which it is proposed to make good farming and grazing country out of millions of acres which now lie dry and arid between Calgary and Medicine Hat immediately on North railway line.

Indian Killed.

Portage La Prairie, Man., Oct. 1.—An Indian living in a Sioux village, two miles east of town, was killed in cold blood to-day, his head being blown off by a gunshot. Three Indian companions have been arrested charged with the crime.

Black Bass.

Bellefleur, Oct. 1.—Large numbers of black bass have been shipped from the hatchery at Point Anne to points in British Columbia and the North.

Sifton Murder Trial.

London, Ont., Oct. 1.—Evidence of medical experts for defence in the Sifton case occupied all day. The defence called 21 medical experts and the crown 14.

Clarke Wallace.

Woodbridge, Ont., Oct. 1.—Clarke Wallace's condition to-day is no better and no worse than last reports. He is in a very weak condition.

SWORN IN.

Sir Louis Davies Took His Seat on Bench Yesterday.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—Sir Louis Davies was sworn in as justice of the Supreme court to-day, and took his seat upon the bench. All the ministers of the Crown in the city were present on the occasion, and shook hands with their old colleague. An address was presented by the local bar, feeling congratulations. He then replied briefly thanking, and hoping that he would discharge his duties impartially and fairly.

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A BY-LAW

TO ENABLE THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA TO RAISE THE SUM OF \$100,000 FOR SEWERAGE PURPOSES:

Whereas certain extensive areas within the city limits hereinafter referred to, containing large numbers of private residences and buildings, remain at the present time unserved, and by the completion of the existing sewerage scheme many of such private residences and buildings will be supplied with sewer conveniences, and other private residences and buildings for the drainage and sewerage of which the present scheme is inapplicable, can be dealt with by inaugurating a system of Septic Tank treatment;

And whereas it is intended to apply such Septic Tank System to all that area of the city lying to the east of Cook street, and also to that portion of James Bay district west of Cook street, and in the Rock Bay district and to Victoria West, with the necessary main sewers, according to the plans and specifications hereinafter referred to;

And whereas, for the purpose of completing the said sewerage system and providing the means of dealing with the sewerage at present unserved for within the city by such Septic Tank system and the necessary main sewers, it is intended to raise by way of loan the sum of \$100,000;

And whereas it will require the sum of \$4,800 to be raised annually by special rate for paying the interest thereon, to be hereby created and the interest thereon;

And whereas the valuation of the whole of the rateable property of the said corporation, according to the last revised Assessment Roll, is \$34,066,325;

And whereas, for paying the interest and for paying the principal of the said debt intended to be hereby created, an annual special rate of one-tenth of a mill in the dollar will be required;

And whereas this By-Law may not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council;

Therefore the Municipal Council of the city of Victoria enacts as follows:

1. The sewerage works for completing the system of sewerage, as shown on the proposed plans and outlined specifications prepared by the City Engineer (such plans being numbered 70, 80, 81, 82 and 83, and such outlined specifications being dated the 23rd day of September, 1901, and signed by the City Engineer, subject to necessary alterations, modifications, or additional works to be determined from time to time by the Council on the advice of the City Engineer, shall, so soon as the moneys intended to be raised in pursuance of this By-Law have been obtained, or the necessary portion thereof, forthwith be carried into execution.

2. The sewerage works intended to be carried out by means of the said Septic Tank system, as shown on the said plans and outlined specifications, and the main and branch sewers, incidental thereto, subject to all necessary alterations, modifications, or additional works to be determined from time to time by the Council on the advice of the City Engineer, shall, after the necessary moneys have been obtained as aforesaid, be carried into execution.

3. It shall be lawful for the Mayor of the corporation of the city of Victoria to borrow upon the credit of the said corporation at large, by way of debentures hereinafter mentioned, from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance such loan, a sum of money not exceeding in the whole the sum of \$100,000 currency or sterling money at the rate of \$25 to the one pound sterling, and to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinafter referred to.

4. It shall be lawful for the said Mayor to cause any number of debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding, however, the sum of \$100,000 either in currency or sterling money at the rate of \$25 to the one pound sterling; each of the said debentures being of the amount of \$1,000, or its sterling equivalent at the rate aforesaid, and all such debentures shall be signed with the seal of the said corporation and signed by the Mayor thereof.

5. The said debentures shall bear date the 2nd day of December, 1901, and shall be payable in fifty years from the said date at such place, either in Great Britain, the United States of America, or the Dominion of Canada, as may be determined thereon, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest; and the signature to the interest coupons may be either written, stamped, printed or lithographed.

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SHIPPING

There was a small attendance at the outer wharf when the Kaga Maru arrived this morning from the Orient. Few had known when the ship was to arrive, and in consequence only a small number of officials were on hand to extend a welcome to Marquis Ito. The steamer had a rough voyage a few days out from Japan, but her trip from there on was very pleasant. The ship freighted 400 packages of freight for this city and six Japanese stowaways. In her saloon quarters are 31 passengers, all of whom are being through to Seattle. Senator Beveridge, who has been travelling through Russia and Japan, and has also been in the Philippines, was aboard. He has been studying commercial and political questions in the Orient in so far as it affects the United States. He was met on his arrival by Col. W. B. Roberts, of Indianapolis, and ex-Senator Carter, president of the committee of five appointed on the United States government on the St. Louis World's Fair. Two other passengers on the Kaga Maru were Mr. and Mrs. Stephenson, who may or may not return to Japan. Mr. Stephenson was probably one of the oldest foreign residents in Hakodate when that port was first opened to foreign trade. He returned home, however, before the new era opened, and for thirty years remained in England, going out on business to Japan some four or five years ago, and being a resident of Kobe since. Mr. Stephenson tells some most interesting stories of the early days. He was in Hakodate at the time Hakoda was his remarkable escape from Siberia by way of that port.

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CAREER AND CHARACTER OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

An address by Joseph Choate, Ambassador to Great Britain, on the career and character of Abraham Lincoln—his early life—his character as developed in the later years of his life and his administration, which placed his name so high on the world's roll of honor and fame, has been published by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, and may be had by sending six (6) cents in postage to F. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

The Times publishes the following dispatch from its Constantinople correspondent: "The reports received at all the embassies and legations here say that the situation in the provinces depicts a situation everywhere so deplorable that an ambassadorial conference and collective action are contemplated."

The principal subject discussed at yesterday's meeting of the United States was that of a cable to Hawaii, Guam and the Philippines. It is understood that propositions have been made to lay a commercial cable from San Francisco to connect these islands and the question under discussion was whether under our peace treaty with Spain, the United States could authorize or in any way encourage the laying of such cable by private parties. The Attorney-General will prepare a statement for the President covering all the questions involved.

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OFFICIAL OPENING OF EXHIBITION

THE DUKE OFFICIATED AT THE CEREMONY

The Royal Party Visited Annual Show,
Where His Royal Highness Was
Presented With Gold Medal.

The exhibition is now open and in full swing. Yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock the Duke of Cornwall and York pronounced the magic words which set the industrial machinery in motion, and the object of so much thought, preparation, anxiety and expectation is now an assured fact.

The opening ceremony was simple though striking, and will linger long in the memory of the large crowd fortunate to view it. Never has exhibition enterprise in this province been so favored, and the éclat which Royalty added to the inaugural day makes the present exhibition a notable circumstance in local history.

Early in the afternoon the people began to assemble at the ground. The Royal party were at 4 o'clock, and the grand attraction stirred to its depths the little naval village, and a great proportion of the populace wended its way to the exhibition premises to view another incident of the Royal programme.

Street cars, vehicles of all sorts, were jammed. People rode on the fenders and hung astern to guard rails and every other adjunct of the modern transport. The question which naturally suggested itself was which is it that the people are more desirous of seeing, the Duke or the fair. Some in answer might generalize and reply both, but the afternoon ceremony settles this matter.

Exhibitions have been held here before, but never in the history of the city has the fair appeared so within its limits, and people were never weary of gazing, craning and reaching to get a glimpse of his Royal person, nor baring their heads and with a cheer that was partly a prayer salute the future occupant of the great British throne.

Along the building from the town to the exhibition hall exposed to the public eye, coupled columns of vantage. They sat along the fences, they ascended overbarriers, they mounted rocky prominences with no little inconvenience, and there they waited for hours for the passing of the Royal carriage.

Cameras were planted in conspicuous places. These two days are big ones for the camera enthusiast. It is rarely that gold in an approaching carriage and a general delighted exclamation, "Here they come, let's give them a rouser," passed along. But, no, it was Rear-Admiral Bickford, the popular commander-in-chief of Her Majesty's North Pacific squadron, who arrived at the destination considerably in advance of the Royal party.

By this time a company of the Royal Horse Artillery, under the command of Major Orr, had arrived at the exhibition grounds. They were their khaki, and magnificent they looked in their splendid physique, and perfect formation—big, erect fellows, with clanking sabres and like the figures of colossi awaited the approach of their Royal Highnesses. In the meantime the building was becoming crowded, with the exception of the space in the first gallery—the newly constructed grand stand which was reserved for the Royal party. Suspended from this was the banner with the allegorical solution of the secret of an Emperor's grandeur—a representation of the Holy Word and the accompanying explanation the "Secret of England's greatness," and suggestive of the beautiful story of Her Majesty's reply to the Indian Prince when he asked the meaning of it.

People ascended to the turrets and came out on the verandas. Among the crowd outside and inside were police, secret service men and special, who had a bird's-eye view of everything. They were vigilant and cautious, but there was no occasion for their intervention during the day, the large assemblage preserving admirable order.

Suddenly there was heard the sound of cheering, and the crowd knew that their wait was at an end, and their patience about to be rewarded. In the distance could be heard the clatter of horses' hoofs, and the noise of approaching vehicles. Along the avenue leading to the entrance every head was bared and every voice gave vent to a vigorous "hurrah" as the sailor prince passed. Every cheer, no matter how insignificant, was gratefully acknowledged. His Royal Highness knowing full well that it is not the man with the biggest voice who is the most loyal, nor he with the largest, newest and most splendid headgear.

As the cavalcade approached the gate with the Royal carriage the band played six bars of the National Anthem. Then a solitary trooper dashed merrily in and received a cheer of welcome. He was followed by more troopers, who in response to a short, sharp word of command, lined on either side, forming an impenetrable living wall. Like statues they stood, the scarlet tunics showing up brilliantly, looking very business-like with death-dealing tubes in their hands. Those men would brook no affront to the person of their precious charge, and were to the man who raised a hand to do him harm.

The first carriage to pass up the avenue contained Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lady Minto, and party, the Premier appearing as gravely alert as ever.

Then the Royal carriage appeared, the occupants being received with hearty cheers. Despite the extraordinarily busy day they were passing through, with its

various ceremonies the Duke and Duchess appeared as hearty as when they landed from the stately Empress of India.

Their Royal Highnesses were met by Mayor Hayward, president of the B. C. Agricultural Association, both shaking hands heartily and chatting pleasantly with them. They were then introduced to vice-president H. D. Holmbeck, M. P. The party ascended the steps, on the carpet which had been laid, to the band on the first gallery, where the opening ceremony was to take place. The party, who were preceded by two little flower girls, consisted of His Royal Highness the Duke, the Premier, Lieutenant-Governor, Lady Mary Lyon, Mrs. Derrick Keppel, Mrs. (Major) Maude, the Duke of Roxburgh, Prince Alexander of Teck, Viscount Crichton and Lord Wenlock.

The Royal party were followed by a vast number, who took up positions in every conceivable point. Some stood on boxes, some hung on to the galleries, while the "attitude" of others were positively grotesque. Arriving at the grand stand Mayor Hayward presented His Royal Highness with a gold medal as a souvenir of the opening, the presentation being made in the following words:

"May it please Your Royal Highness, it is my pleasant duty as president of the British Columbia Agricultural Association to request that Your Royal Highness may be graciously pleased to accept this gold medal as a memento of this auspicious occasion, and also a small token of the society's high appreciation of the great honor you have conferred upon it to-day in so kindly acceding to our request to bestow your Royal patronage on this exhibition."

His Royal Highness replied as follows: "Mr. Mayor and President of the Agricultural Association, I am very grateful to the society for the beautiful gold medal which you have just presented to me on their behalf. The Duchess and I were looking forward with great interest to our visit to the exhibition, so that we might see for ourselves the great resources of your province. I have now great pleasure in declaring the exhibition open."

Three cheers were then given, after which the party took in the sights of the show. The Duke and Duchess were very interested in the various exhibits, inspecting a number very admiringly.

At the St. Ann's Academy department on the upper gallery, the Duchess was presented with a beautifully mounted book containing three poems in gold letters by academy pupils Miss Mary Godfrey and Miss Frances Healey, as well as a piece of music, "Heart Thoughts," composed by Miss Anna McQuade, and dedicated to the Royal couple.

They also curiously inspected the Alaska bazaar exhibit of F. Landberg, the proprietor, and James Dean, the well known authority on Indian legends, explaining the collection and their significance. Mr. Landberg then presented the Duke with a medicine man carved with stone, showing his fetich and the other objects used in conjuration. This was the work of Chief Robinson, who was busily employed turning out specimens of expert handicraft.

The chief, who is a Chilcat, was presented to the Duke, who thanked him in person. The Duchess also received a spoon carved out of a silver dollar by Thos. Price. A Tsimshian brave, who was resplendent in a blanket, eagle head-dress, etc. Her Royal Highness also personally expressed her gratification to the donor.

Before leaving Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Donald Wallace made several purchases of Indian curios.

The studies of Miss McClung were also greatly admired. Here the Duchess was presented with a book of Indian poems translated by Mrs. D. R. Harris and illustrated by Mrs. Margaret Macdure.

The party then left the building, their appearance being greeted with cheers. His Royal Highness inspected the Royal Horse Artillery, commenting on their fine form and physique. They then entered their carriage, the Royal salute was given, the scarlet-coated escort reformed, and amid cheers the party rode away.

THE EXHIBITION.

Displays Are Very Creditable—Perfect Weather and Enjoyable Attractions.

Perfect weather continues to favor the exhibition which is "now in progress. Everything is looking its best, and the fair promises to be very successful. The building and grounds have been greatly improved, the details of which have been time and time referred to in these columns. Since the last exhibition, between ten and twelve thousand dollars have been expended in repairs.

The main building and the necessary structures are all well filled with exhibits which are very creditable. On the grounds there are some fine specimens of stock, while the pleasure of the spectators is enhanced by a number of amusement attractions. Altogether the exhibition is well worth travelling a good distance to see.

THE MAIN FLOOR.

The Industrial and Mercantile Establishments Are All Well Represented.

On entering the building on the ground floor Brackman & Ker's pyramidical exhibit of cereals caught the spectator. Along the right side of the B. C. Saddlery have an exhibit of harness, after which comes the display of the Toronto Manufacturing Company, consisting of carpets, rugs, etc. The Hygienic Kola Wine Company is represented next, while the Westside has a substantial and tastefully arranged corner. Wait & Co. show the Heintzman & Co.'s and the Nordheimer pianos, and the Bell organ.

T. N. Hibben & Co. have a little house for the accommodation of their exhibit, while D. Spencer's display is contained in cases in the southeast part of the south wing. Allan & Co.'s Fit Reform people, the J. D. Turk vintage of establishment of California, and Geo. Carters' displays follow. A Shore's hardware, E. C. Atkins' saws and tools, the B. C. Anchor Fence Co., Phoenix Brewing Co., Thorpe's soda water, factory and Andrew's Paint Works are represented.

The Colonist has a gigantic book named the Native Son. The Blue Ribbon Tea Company have a large exhibit from their establishment in the body of the hall, as well as the Pioneer Coffee & Spice Company. M. R. Smith & Co.

have a house constructed of biscuits and other delicacies from their factory. It is a pretensions affair, and has many visitors. The B. C. Electric Railway Company, Hinton & Co., and a mineral exhibit from Alberta canal occupy the centre of the hall.

One of the most interesting exhibits is a soap cottage garden, fence and every other adjunct necessary representing Pendray's Soap Works. It was constructed by J. Lory, foreman at the establishment, and it reflects great credit on those responsible for its arrangement. The interior is neatly furnished, and the windows are hung with curtains. In a corner to the left there is a display of pottery. Farther along is a small stand exhibiting furniture polish. Adjoining Thomas & Grant have a large showing of cloths, while next in order comes a display of F. Norris, the trunk and harness manufacturer. Fletcher Bros. have a department reserved for some half dozen of the pianos from which they are agents, and Weller Bros take up all one section of the building, showing three rooms completely and elegantly furnished. Leigh & Sons, the cash and door manufacturers, also occupy considerable space, claiming special merit for highly polished show cases, which their firm produces. These are shown with shoes from Spencer's Arcade beneath their glass tops. In the way of engineering the former shows a model mining locomotive, which Rempel, the engineer, has a steam launch. Alongside the exhibit is an excellent display, including a model of a warship and a ship under full sail.

The latest inventions in the way of incubators are exhibited in the north-east corner. The Victoria Book & Stationery Co. has a space beneath the stairway.

A few feet distant the Canadian mineral paints are piled into a kind of pyramid surmounted by an elephant.

THE FIRST GALLERY.

An Attractive Art Display and Number of Interesting Features.

A great portion of the gallery is devoted to displays of potted plants and fruit. The former were very choice, very numerous and of great variety, some of the plants being very rare. As for the fruit more extended notice will be given than can be here outlined. It certainly looked as though the climate during the year just past had smiled on every fruit tree in the province, and that in consequence nature had not been retarded.

The apples were largely sweet and exceedingly attractive. Plums and pears were probably the next most in evidence. In the northeast corner of the building is a handsome display of painted china, belonging to Mrs. Cox, which occupies a large space along the easterly end is a striking display of stuffed birds and animals, dressed rugs, etc., a collection of Wm. Lindley, the Government street taxidermist. Farther along the wall are a couple of Indian collections of ancient relics. Near by J. J. & Co. have an exhibit of seeds, while in a cosy book just beneath the stairway a lady exhibits a patent rocker with chair and crib combined. One section of the easterly wing is entirely devoted to fancy needle and crochet work, in which the ladies manifest a keen interest, while another section is given up to cut glass, so profuse and beautiful as to defy description. Tea is served in the corner, and close by tables of bottled preserves are shown.

On the first gallery also there is a creditable art display. Skeue Love, Savannah and F. Burrell, photographers, are excellently represented, while there are many handsome paintings by local artists. W. H. Legg, manager, A. C. Woodward, Miss McKinnis, A. C. Martindale and others. Among the portraits is one of the Duke, painted by Mr. Martindale. Miss McKinnis has a dainty display of hand painted china.

F. Rattenbury, the architect, has a display of plans, and in the vicinity is an exhibit of half tone and fine cuts manufactured by the B. C. Photo Engraving Co. W. H. Legg, manager, A. C. Woodward, Miss McKinnis, A. C. Martindale and others. Among the portraits is one of the Duke, painted by Mr. Martindale. Miss McKinnis has a dainty display of hand painted china.

A feature of the Saanich exhibit which was in evidence at the last fair is a large display of the Victoria Creamery butter.

Many side attractions have been provided for amusement. Immediately behind the main structure may be found tents, admittance to which can be obtained on payment of a small admittance fee, and in which spectators will witness many interesting and novel performances, including dances of the Haida Indians. Besides this there is a merry-go-round and A. C. Beach's aerial tramway.

Another interesting side feature of the exhibition was the operating of an air drill. A practical demonstration was given of how this machine is operated by drilling a hole in a rock in the yard on the right of the exhibition building. Many watched the work with great interest.

The restaurant under the charge of Frank McKenzie, on the grounds, was largely patronized yesterday, and during the noon hour every available space was taken up.

drawings and deductions. There are several maps made of sand showing the physical features of the continents represented. There are essays and a fine collection of crayons and paintings by students of the academy. The display represents the work from the elementary grade to the graduation stage. There is also a display of typewriting, showing the various forms, legal, commercial and correspondence well executed.

South Park school, the only public school in the province to send an exhibit, was well represented. Carefully and creditably drawn maps adorned the wall of this department, while penmanship of an exceptionally high order is shown. The exhibit is quite an expensive one and reflects credit and the pupils of the school for their painstaking efforts.

The St. Ann's kindergarten on View and Blanchard streets has a neat exhibit.

IN OTHER BUILDINGS.

Creditable Machinery Exhibits—District Exhibits and the Side Shows.

The building containing the exhibit of the Albion Iron Works directly to the rear of the main structure was crowded from morning to evening. The display is one of the most interesting of the fair. The hum of machinery is the first greeting which one receives on entering. On the right hand side are found eight standard patent engines all in operation. There is also the machinery that generates the lighting power for the exhibition. On the left are stoves and ranges of many descriptions, and also a great many contrivances peculiar to a machine shop. A very interesting feature of the exhibit, especially to marine men, is a perfect model of a marine boiler. It has been tested up to 210 pounds.

Directly back of the building is a centrifugal pump in operation. It is placed in a water tank which, when working, lifts the water and throws it with great force to the opposite end of the tank.

Nearly six standard boilers, four horizontal and two vertical. The horizontal ones are in operation. The different features of the exhibit are in charge of employees of the company, who show every courtesy to their many visitors, and if any portion of the machinery is not understood, explain its workings.

A little to the right of the Albion is another exhibit of machinery of a different kind—that of E. G. Prior & Co. There is a binder and mower and chaff cutter and other contrivances useful to farmers in operation. The machines are driven by a 10-horse-power engine, which has been installed for the purpose. The model cream separator is also shown, besides garden tools, pumps, plows, churns and general farming implements. Buggies, wagons and other vehicles of every imaginable description are also displayed.

A new wooden structure has been erected for the District exhibits. The districts of Cowichan, Saanich, Agassiz and the Islands are those which have entered the competition. The building is divided into four apartments, in which are located the different displays. This competition will prove most interesting, as great rivalry exists between the different districts as to which can produce the best produce. As to the chances of the different districts for obtaining the first prize, after a careful examination of the exhibits, the slight inevitable conclusion is that Saanich possibly leads in the variety and quality of their display, while Agassiz is decidedly the better in the arrangement of its exhibit. In the Salt Spring section can be found the best fruit. The Islands are always noted for the excellence of their apples, pears, etc., and they are evidently maintaining their reputation. The most notable feature of the Cowichan exhibition is the immense size of the roots and the excellence of the wheat, oats, etc.

A feature of the Saanich exhibit which was in evidence at the last fair is a large display of the Victoria Creamery butter.

Many side attractions have been provided for amusement. Immediately behind the main structure may be found tents, admittance to which can be obtained on payment of a small admittance fee, and in which spectators will witness many interesting and novel performances, including dances of the Haida Indians. Besides this there is a merry-go-round and A. C. Beach's aerial tramway.

Another interesting side feature of the exhibition was the operating of an air drill. A practical demonstration was given of how this machine is operated by drilling a hole in a rock in the yard on the right of the exhibition building. Many watched the work with great interest.

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THE LIVE STOCK.

Four Lines Exhibited, Making Excellent Showing, Particularly Cattle.

An inspection of the live stock reveals much to the agriculturalist that is reassuring. The display is certainly an eloquent exemplification of what breeders can do in this province. In some lines perhaps the exhibits are none too numerous, but on the whole they are of a description creditable to the show. From an island standpoint they surpass anything in this line ever seen here before. The day were most favorably commented on by the visitors from the Mainland. The improvement which has been effected in the herds, especially of the Island, during the last few years, is strikingly illustrated. Thoroughbreds are being constantly introduced, and on the grounds nearly every breed is represented. The shortbreds, which are so rapidly coming to the front in nearly all parts of the Dominion, made perhaps the best showing. The Ayrshires were not in as strong demand as a Chillingworth or up Fraser stock raiser might desire, but what were exhibited could not be complained of. A number of almost perfect types of Herefords were shown, but this stock has evidently not supplanted the Holstein on the Island, and the latter therefore being the most common the class was better filled. The Polled Angus and the Red Polled are breeds still more infrequently run across on this Island, and the animals of this family on the grounds naturally attracted much attention. The Jerseys could hardly be taken as representative of the Island, for they have long been popular here, and while those exhibited came up to the

Devoted to Displays From the Educational Institutions—Creditable Showing.

On the second gallery are the educational institution exhibits. The display of the Macdonald manual training school is shown here with that of St. Ann's academy, the Kuper Island industrial school and South Park school.

The brush drawing and paper folding and drawing, where the mechanical art is first developed, the woodwork representing the second stage in the course of training and the metal models showing the advanced station reached by the complete education of the best and up the pupil by the institution, are all illustrated and worthy of special attention by all visiting the exhibition buildings. Supt. H. Dunnett, of the institute, and Mr. Waddington are on hand, and to those desirous of knowing explain in detail the work being done.

The Kuper Island industrial school exhibit is quite in keeping with all the surroundings of the top flat. A large picture of the school is shown, and a great variety and assortment of fancy work and other hand-made articles demonstrates beyond doubt that the children of the school are becoming adepts with the needle.

The St. Ann's academy display is a very pretensions and excellent one. There are splendid specimens of penmanship, free hand drawing, all sorts of fancy work, map drawing and mathematical

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FAREWELL.

The faces of the Duke and Duchess are how set towards home. The most attractive feature of their manners is their perfect naturalness—the utter absence of all affectation. During their visit to British Columbia they have made us all feel that their interests, like those of all mankind, are centred in their fellow-beings. Kind hearts are more than coronets. The hearts of the Royal Family of Great Britain respond to the throbs of the heart of the nation, whether in joy or in sorrow, in prosperity or in depression. Hence the secret of the perfect dominion of the late Queen Victoria—a power which has descended to her children and her children's children.

We hope their Royal Highnesses have experienced as much pleasure in their visit to the capital of British Columbia as they have conferred upon our citizens. They have been separated a long time now from those they love at home, and must be anxious to look upon their faces once more. Many of us will never see them again, but we will take a deeper interest in their future welfare because of their brief sojourn in our midst. May the atmosphere which surrounds them, official or social always be as pleasant as the specimen of western weather which greeted them in Victoria.

THE EXHIBITION.

In the excitement of the times, the people of Victoria should not forget the exhibition which was opened yesterday. It is by far the best thing of its kind that has ever been held here, and is worthy of many visits. It would have been better for all concerned of course if there had not been a conflict of dates between the Victoria and the Westminster shows. That was a matter which no power could adjust. All that can be done now is to make the best of the situation, and trust that a proper understanding may be arrived at before this time next year. The department that is principally affected by the two shows being held simultaneously is that of live stock. But even without the co-operation of some of our Mainland friends, visitors will behold an exhibition of stock worth going a long distance to see. The other departments furnish an object lesson of the progress that has been made in British Columbia in mining, agriculture and manufacturing of late. The special attractions are also worthy of note, but the truly patriotic will be chiefly interested in the exhibits which indicate the lines of development upon which will depend the future of the province. The elements have remained faithful and the show is already an assured success, but with the hearty co-operation of all it can be made more abundantly successful.

A DANIEL, ETC.

The Nelson Tribune finds it a matter of considerable difficulty to make up its mind as to what course would be best in the present critical condition of political affairs in the province. The opinions of the Tribune are of importance, because they are supposed to be the thoughts of a member of the Legislature who has a personal following and may be able to influence to some extent the actions of the House. Every suggestion that has thus far been put forward from any quarter has been summarily rejected by the imperious dictator. He is dissatisfied with the course of the present Premier, although the inference may be drawn from the general tone of his remarks that he considers Mr. Dunsmuir the man for the times if he could only be prevailed upon to accept the advice of the man from Nelson. The cabinet must be reformed to begin with. Mr. Eberts would at one time have been selected from among the wise men who flourish only in the eastern or central parts of the province. He was even once held to be necessary as a political head. But even he has fallen from grace and must be cast out among the goats. For example:

"James Dunsmuir owes as great a duty to the people as he does to himself. He accepted political responsibilities, and he should not shirk the duties the responsibilities impose. One of his duties is to see that the business of the province is conducted carefully and economically, and in order that this result is obtained, he must have subordination of capacity. He has Wells and Provost and Eberts left. The two former are lacking in capacity, and the latter is lacking in everything except capacity. If Premier Dunsmuir did his duty he would use a new broom in the parliament buildings, and use it at once."

We heartily approve of the new broom policy; but its sweep should not be restricted to the cabinet. It should be sent through the House. There are a good many with seats now who should be swept into oblivion, including possibly some members from the interior. But suppose the Premier were to take Mr. Houston and his "personal following" in as his colleagues, is there any guarantee that they would be supported by a majority of the members of the House? We fear not. We really believe the member for Nelson over-estimates the extent of his influence. If such a deal were made it would not be ratified by the House, and a new election would be necessary. Party lines have been suggested as a solution of the problem, but that will not do at all, in the opinion of the Tribune. After setting forth the reasons why the Liberals could not agree upon a leader who would receive their solid support, the paper says:

"The Conservatives have any number of leaders, but the people have no confidence in them. Those that have been tried are discredited, and those that are not discredited are untried. Taking everything into consideration, Sir Hilbert Tupper, of Vancouver, is the best of the lot that have been tried. He has ability; his reputation for honesty is good; and he has enough blood in his veins to shake hands warmly. But the family name is against him, and he has not been long enough in the province to know either its people, its resources, or its political needs. 'Jack' Taylor, of Victoria, is one of the untried ones. He would make a winning leader, if he was not so lazy and so indifferent to everything except feeding and drinking. He is young, has ability, has good looks, has original ideas, has been long in the province, and has many friends who would help him if he would only help himself. The interior has T. Mayne Daly, of Rossland, an ex-minister of the interior, but he has had his day. It is true, Nelson has David Mark Carley and 'Billy' McDonald; but the first-mentioned is so gross in the study of political economy that he has no inclination for the game of practical politics; and the latter has undertaken to teach his law partner the delights of being in a minority that he will not be able to get through his contract until long after the next provincial contest has been fought and won. The Laborers have but one logical leader, Chris. Foley, of Rossland. He is what he is, a laboring man. He has ability, is honest, and is one of the best stumpers in the province. He is not an extremist, but he is the one man of the Labor party that can hold nine out of ten of the Labor vote. Martin will have to be accepted by the Liberals, or he will defeat them. Taylor should be placed at the head of the Conservatives. Chris. Foley will be the leader of the Laborers—and he will carry every riding in Kootenay against the Liberals with Maxwell as leader, or the Conservatives with Eberts or McBride as managing directors."

It seems to be a case of Dunsmuir and Houston or chaos.

TO SUPPRESS ANARCHY.

Some statesmen in Belgium think it is time for the nations to take concerted action against anarchists. It is a pity they did not consider the possible consequences when they convined at the escape of the fellow who attempted to take the life of the present King of Great Britain. The would-be murderer of any man should surely be visited with more severe punishment than a few months' imprisonment, but when even that is considered too severe and the culprit is allowed to go entirely free, it is not so very surprising that those who cry down with law and all who administer it should feel encouraged in the belief that their doctrines are growing in popularity. To convince them that they are drawing erroneous inferences the authorities at Brussels have decided to call a convention to discuss the most effective means of suppressing the pests. There is no reason to suppose that any of the governments will refuse to send representatives. All are interested, Britain

probably more remotely than the rest, because free British institutions are not favorable to the development of such pernicious political doctrines. In order to understand the character of the anarchist system it is necessary to go back to the year 1881, when the revolutionary congress held a meeting in London and adopted a plan of action, which has never been changed and is still in operation, judging by the assassinations that have taken place from time to time since that date. There were forty delegates present, representing all the countries in Europe, and some from North and South America. The result of their deliberations was the formation of "The International Social Revolutionary Working Men's Association, for the purpose of social revolution." Headquarters were established in London and sub-committees were formed in Paris, Geneva and New York. In every place where supporters of the movement existed, sections and an executive committee were formed. The committees of each country were directed to keep up with one another, and with the central committee, regular communication by means of continual reports and information, and to collect money for the purchase of poison and weapons, as well as to find suitable places for laying mines and so on. To attain the proposed end, the congress declared for the annihilation of all rulers, ministers of state, nobility, clergy, the most prominent capitalists and other exploiters. Any means are permissible. Therefore it was decided that great attention should be given specially to the study of chemistry and the preparation of explosives, as being the most important weapons. Besides the chief committee in London there was also established an executive committee of international composition and an information bureau, whose duty was to carry out the decisions of the chief committee and conduct correspondence. The congress which devised this plan has had far-reaching and fateful consequences for the development of the Anarchism of Action. It consolidated the movement on the scheme of groups all over the world, and in the places where it was unknown before it gained many adherents. The reasons given by Zerkler for this spread of a most unholy social heresy are that by anarchy the mob understands always only its own dictatorship, and the subversion of authority has always a great attraction for the uneducated masses, while the tactics recommended by the London congress were completely adapted to the mental capacity of "darkest Europe." It will thus be seen that anarchism is a secret organization, cunningly devised to carry out its murderous purposes and at the same time evade discovery. That it has sympathies among the discontented in all countries has been pretty clearly shown. The extent of that discontent is the measure of its power.

We had always supposed from the conversation of the strenuous men who occasionally come down to see us from the interior that there are no killers or looters there; that the population is individually and collectively constantly endeavoring to make things move. The following from the Nelson Miner indicates that we were mistaken: "Those who have been victims of that 'tired feeling,' and who has not, can now rejoice, for a cure has been found for it. Like nearly all human ailments, it is caused by bacteria, and Professor Gautier, of the Institute of France, has isolated what is known as the 'bacteria of physical fatigue,' and finds that it is poison closely resembling ptomaine poison in nature. Gautier has discovered antibodies for the bacteria, and by their means the poison can be rendered innocuous and the tired feeling banished. There should be a large demand for the antibodies of Professor Gautier even in Nelson, where there are a few individuals who are constantly afflicted with that 'tired feeling.'"

The New York yachting experts are now advising Captain Burr to keep Shamrock on his lee, and not on any account to allow her to break away. They reason that the time allowance will do the rest if he can manage his part of the programme. It is good to see them alarmed, even if Lipton does not succeed.

The lynchers are moving northward. It is not a far cry to Montana. The mysterious virus may yet make its way across the border. There is a good deal of insincerity about the tumult and cry against anarchists, when supposed-to-be self-respecting citizens deliberately usurp the functions of the law.

The decorations turned out all right after all, the illuminations were worthy of the occasion, and everyone is to be congratulated on the success which attended the reception.

A WORD IN SEASON.

Methodist Advocate.

"We bounce right into a fellow and put him out of the church if he goes to a ball or theatre, but never say a word to a pious scamp who never pays his debts. People who do not pay their debts are doing the church more harm than dancers or drunkards, for there are more of them in the church."

THE FORGOTTEN N. P.

Hamilton Times.

The 17th of September came and went yesterday, but we saw no references in our Tory exchanges to the "glorious victory" of September 17th, 1878, which brought into existence the wonderful N. P. and relieved Canadians from the infamous position of "heavers of wood and drawers of water." The old gag seems to be auspicious.

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Of thy music on the pebbles ne'er fall on ears alone
But wake the inner spirit to peer beneath the deep,
And recognize the beauty thy waves in bidding keep.

Roll on, thou mighty ocean! Bear upon thy waves
Love's message to the weary, give freedom to all slaves.
The dark oblivion of the past, dispel it from all view,
And bear to each a future filled with aspirations true.

Roll on, thou mighty ocean! Peace thy emblem be!
Unfold truth's glorious banner o'er land and over sea.
Unfold to human vision the scenes that are in store
When man shall rise to heights of love and reign there evermore.

Roll on, thou mighty ocean! Echo back with glee
The songs of joy from out the depths of hidden mystery.
Bring us glad tidings from friends whom we never see,
Recalling back good memories that draw the past more near.

Roll on, thou mighty ocean! Roll on with seraphic force,
And bear the loving forward upon thy life-giving course.
Where love shall reign eternal, where men shall brothers be,
And we shall hear the angels sing the anthem of the free.

AMY KNEESDAW,
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 24th, 1901.

ANOTHER KIND OF ANARCHISM.

Bystander in Weekly Sun.

When the masters of the world meet in council for the repression of anarchism we all approve. But, after all, what is anarchism but the exaggeration, in a distempered brain, of the spirit of violence and disdain of law with which these potentates are themselves filling the nations? What is it but anarchism when, instead of settling a dispute whenever it is possible by arbitration, they choose to settle it with the sword? What is it but anarchism when they, of the spirit of violence and disdain of law with which these potentates are themselves filling the nations? What is it but anarchism when, instead of settling a dispute whenever it is possible by arbitration, they choose to settle it with the sword? What is it but anarchism when they, of the spirit of violence and disdain of law with which these potentates are themselves filling the nations? What is it but anarchism when, instead of settling a dispute whenever it is possible by arbitration, they choose to settle it with the sword? 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## GLORIOUS WEATHER FOR THE DEPARTURE

(Continued from page 2.)

### THE ADMIRAL'S LUNCHEON.

Those Who Were His Guests Yesterday on Board the Waspette.

The following is the list of guests at the luncheon given by the commander-in-chief of the Pacific station, Rear-Admiral A. Bickford, on board his flagship Waspette yesterday, when visited by their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of York.

T. R. H. Duke and Duchess of York, H. S. H. Prince Alexander of Teck, H. E. Lady Minto, Sir Henri and Lady Joly de Lotbiniere and Miss Boswell Mrs. Bickford and Miss Bickford, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Lady M. Lygon, Mayor Hayward, Duke of Edinburgh, Lord Wenlock, Hon. Derek and Mrs. Keppel, Mrs. Dunsinuir, Captain and Mrs. Keppel, Miss Grenfell, Captain and Mrs. Casement, Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Grant, Viscount Crichton, Major and Mrs. Maude, Commander Faussett, R. N., Captain and Mrs. Fleet, Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Holmes, Commander and Mrs. Williams, Captain Walbran, Commander and Mrs. Slater, Sir Charles Cost, Bart., Lieut.-Commander Pike, Lieut.-Colonel Gregory, Staff Surgeon Handyside, Fleet Paymaster and Mrs. Sandys, Fleet Surgeon, Lieut.-Colonel Bickford, Captain Drake, Major Harvest, Secretary Baker, R. N., Flag Lieutenant Knox, Mr. Powell, Mrs. Simpson, Mr. Simmins, Captain Marshall, Rev. Mr. Wansborough, R. N., Major Bor, Major Sherwood.

### THE RECEPTION.

Five Hundred Citizens Were Presented to Their Future King and Queen.

The social event of the visit so far as the general public was concerned, was undoubtedly the reception held last evening in the legislative chamber of the parliament buildings. The function was for nine o'clock, but it was ten before the Royal Highnesses arrived from the official dinner at Government House.

Long before that time, however, the spacious grounds of the building were packed with people eager to see the Royal guests drive up. Most of these were disappointed, just as those in the streets were, as the carriage was closed and only a glimpse could be obtained of the occupants.

From the foot of the stairway leading to the main entrance a broad crimson carpet had been laid, and up this the distinguished party walked to the main corridor. As they arrived, the guard furnished by the Fifth Regiment presented arms and the band played the first six bars of the National Anthem. The interior of the building, always handsome, was particularly so last night, when its more massive characteristics were relieved by floral and electric effects. Broad drapings of scarlet and gold had been employed in the galleries, and huge ferns and other potted plants in the rotunda and around the niches of the building further enhanced its beauty.

The method of presentation was very simple. The future sovereign and his consort occupied a place at the foot of the throne, their military suite and a semi-circle about them. First of all His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Lady Joly were presented, and then a steady stream of ladies and gentlemen presented themselves, keeping their Royal Highnesses busily employed for an hour in acknowledging their salutes. Both His Royal Highness and Her Royal Highness were perfectly free in greeting those who presented themselves, and one of the features of the function which awakened comment was its absolute simplicity, and the frank manner in which the Royal visitors received their future subjects.

The scene in the chamber toward the close of the evening, when the presentations were almost completed, and those who had been presented had taken up their positions at the side of the chamber, was extremely brilliant. Many handsome gowns were worn, and those with the evening dress, embracing the striking character of the display, while along Belleville street and James Bay the myriads of Chinese lanterns cast their pretty reflections on the water.

The general display was also of a most elaborate character. Government street from end to end was lined with Chinese lanterns, while the Dominion

government buildings were also beautifully lighted. On Christ Church Cathedral a mammoth electric cross blazed as though suspended in mid-air. Special mention should be made of the Banks of Commerce and Montreal, the C. P. R. offices and the U. S. consulate, which were a perfect blaze of light.

The ships, too, added to the beauty of the scene. Off the outer wharf the warships, illuminated in rainbow fashion, presented a spectacle of striking beauty; off Oak Bay the torpedo boat and destroyer were similarly dressed.

The crowds which thronged the streets waited patiently for an hour beyond that at which the Royal visitors were expected to pass through from Government House. It was almost 10 o'clock before the shouts of cheering up Fort street told of the approach of the Royal guests. There was a sharp clatter of hoofs on the pavement and then the troopers of the Mounted Police turned on to Government street.

To the intense disappointment of the throng, however, the carriage was closed, and only a glimpse was caught of the distinguished occupants of the carriage as it moved down Government street. There was a torrent of cheers, however, which told their Royal Highnesses, if they needed to be told, how thoroughly they have won the affections of the people. Later, as the party returned from the parliament buildings there was another demonstration in the streets.

### TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

Royal Party Will Leave Oak Bay at Six O'clock.

The Duke and Duchess spent a quiet day on sight-seeing this forenoon, and afternoon, relieved of the necessity of acknowledging the plaudits of the multitude and free to admire the glorious scenery in which the city abounds.

About 11 o'clock the party drove to Point Ellice bridge, where the admiral had provided luncheon. In these they proceeded up the Victoria Arm. The placid waters of Victoria's pet stretch of water never looked better and bathed in the rich sunshine which rested on land and water, little wonder that their charmed draw extravagant expressions of admiration from those in the boats.

The rich greenery which the banks of the Arm are clothed served to emphasize the beauty of the placid waters, and the little journey contained nothing but pleasure for the party.

After viewing the Gorge, the party returned and landed at the Premier's boat house, where a brief stay was made while a call was made on Mr. Dunsinuir. On returning to the city carriages were again taken, and the party proceeded to Oak Bay.

Along the route there was the same enthusiasm. Oak Bay hotel was reached about 1 o'clock, and it was a hungry party which sat down to luncheon there. This afternoon the same informality will be observed, a drive through the suburbs and a visit to the Royal Jubilee hospital being on the programme. Mrs. Owen Hitchcock is also charged this afternoon with the presentation of a suggested bracelet to the Royal Highness from the municipality of Atlin.

Oak Bay hotel, which has served so admirably for the Royal residence, will be left about 6 o'clock this evening, according to Major Maude, A. D. C., and the Royal party will drive to the Empress, where they will proceed on to the gunnery range, where will be furnished at the outer wharf by the Royal Horse Artillery, and a band will also be in attendance. The mayor and aldermen will also be in attendance, and will formally take leave of the party. The fleet will sail about 10.30 o'clock.

This will be concluded one of the most notable events in the history of Victoria—an event of such significance that the memory of it will endure for years to come. It has been a remarkable visit—unmarked by a single untoward event, accident, or hitch of any nature.

Glorious weather has prevailed throughout, and there has been a

few diversions which they seemed to appreciate. Last night a tour was made of Chinatown in association with a number of the local fraternity, and the old sights of that quarter were viewed until about one o'clock this morning. This forenoon a drive around the Dallas road, by Mount Baker hotel was undertaken, the whole party returning to the Strand about noon this afternoon. The streets were looking splendid, and the press representatives expressed themselves as highly pleased with the trip. Afterwards an informal luncheon was given the party at the Strand.

"This is the best show we have seen since leaving Ottawa," said one of the Eastern Canadian newspaper men today, when referring to last night's decorations and to the general demonstration in honor of their Royal Highnesses. All the newspaper men agree that the demonstration has been on a grand scale.

The graciousness of Her Royal Highness was displayed this morning in a little in-joint which took place at Mount Baker hotel. Two little children of C. Wentworth Sarsel went down to the hotel to see the Countess Minto, with whom they had become acquainted when Her Excellency was staying at the hotel last summer. They had with them a tiny Queen Charlotte Indian canoe, and diffidently asked that it be given to the Duchess to present to her children. Her Excellency, much to the delight of the children, introduced them to the Duchess, who graciously accepted the gift for her children, and in return gave them a little basket of flowers yesterday were the children of Dr. J. D. McIntyre and R. Hall, M. P. P.

Melton Prior, the artist for the London Illustrated News, and the Scotch artist did not come down from Vancouver. It is regrettable, as they would have obtained

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The statement that the Royal party will visit the New Westminster exhibition receives a positive denial from Major Maude, who states that it is absolutely without foundation.

J. C. Richards was the contractor for the provincial government decorations, not the Dominion government ones as stated.

John A. Ewan, of the Toronto Globe, is one of the veteran Canadian journalists. He has taken the bulk of the big assignments for the Globe for the last few years. He went to Cuba and South Africa for his paper.

### OFFICIAL OPENING OF EXHIBITION

(Continued from page 3.)

The second day of the Victoria exhibition, like the first, opened with a cloudless sky, and early in the morning the pleasure seekers carrying crowds of carriages commenced to the grounds. In the morning the principal event was the parade and judging of stock. The parade was witnessed by a large number, especially of farming men and those who are directly interested. The judges, two experts from the East, state that they have never seen a better lot of cattle. The competition between cows, heifers, etc., was exceedingly interesting, and on the judges' awarding the prizes they, in some cases, gave explanations of why the winners were considered superior to the others.

Judging is in progress in all parts of the building to-day. This afternoon the judging of cattle is being continued, while the sheep and swine, it is understood, will be judged directly after the cattle. The judging of poultry has been completed, and, according to the judges, this feature of the show is most satisfactory. The Leghorn class is especially well represented. The butter has also been judged, and the competition, from all accounts, was very close. The Victoria Creamery butter took second prize.

This afternoon there are a large number on the grounds and in the building. The band was in attendance at 1 o'clock, and the free felling competition is taking place also, besides acrobatic performances by the Portland troupe engaged for the purpose. The entries for the horse races on Friday and Saturday have been extended until tomorrow noon. Fanny Putnam and her crew of well-known animals are training for the races. Great interest is being taken in these events, and it is expected that on Friday and Saturday many will visit the exhibition principally for the purpose of seeing the races.

Following are some additional prize winners:

Class 1—Roadsters.

Brood mare, three years old and upwards—1st, R. J. Johnstone, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, Bishop & Clarke, Mt. Tolmie.

Brood mare, two years old and under three years—1st, Dr. A. A. Cuneo, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, S. Fairclough, Sidney, B. C.

Filly or entire, one year old—1st, Bishop & Clarke, Mt. Tolmie.

Foal of 1901—1st, James Bryce, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, Harrie G. Ross, Victoria, B. C.

Class 3—Thoroughbreds.

Filly, one year old—1st, Bishop & Clarke, Mt. Tolmie.

Class 5—Championship.

Roadster, standard bred, thoroughbred and coach—1st, Bishop & Clarke, Mt. Tolmie.

Class 6—Saddle Horses.

Gentlemen's saddle horses—1st, P. P. Patton, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, J. D. Slaughter.

CATTLE.

Class 14—Short horns.

Bull, three years old and upwards—1st, Watson Clark, Oaklands, B. C.; 2nd, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.

Bull, one year old and upwards—1st, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, Geo. Sangster, Sydney, B. C.

Bull, calf under one year—1st, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.

Cow, three years old and upwards—1st, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.

Heifer, two years old—1st, R. Fairclough, 2nd, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.

Heifer, yearling—1st, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.; 2nd, James Bryce, Victoria, B. C.

Heifer, consisting of one bull and four females, over one year old—1st, F. B. Pemberton, Victoria, B. C.

Bull of any age—1st, Watson Clark, Oaklands, B. C.

Class 19—Herefords.

Bull, three years old and upwards—1st, F. Kirkland, Westham Island.

Cow, three years old and upwards—1st, F. Kirkland, 2nd, F. Kirkland.

Heifer, two years old—1st, F. Kirkland.

Class 21—Polled Angus.

Bull, three years old and upwards—1st, F. Kirkland.

Bull, two years old and upwards—1st, F. Kirkland, Westham Island.

Class 23—Red Polled.

Bull, three years old and upwards—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Bull, two years old and upwards—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Heifer, two years old—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Heifer, one year—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Heifer calf, under one year—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Heifer, consisting of one bull and four females, over one year—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

Bull, of any age—1st, Robt. E. Barkley, Westholme, B. C.

POULTRY.

Class 46—Fowls.

Brahma, light, hen—1st, H. Hodgson, Brahma, light, cockerel—1st, B. B. Moore and H. Hodgson.

Brahma, light, pullet—1st, H. Hodgson; 2nd, H. Hodgson.

STILL IN HIDING.

Brigands Who Kidnapped Miss Stone Have Not Been Traced.

(Associated Press.)

Constantinople, Oct. 2.—The brigands who carried off Miss Helen H. Stone, the American missionary, and her companion, Madame Tsalika, a Bulgarian lady, have fixed October as the limit of time for the payment of \$110,000 ransom demanded for Miss Stone's release. The hiding place of the brigands has not yet been discovered and the delay, according to the abductors, is taken to indicate that they consider their retreat quite secure.

### EXPRESS LOCOMOTIVES.

The larger railway locomotives, especially always excite admiration, and people never tire of hearing of their wonderful powers. Some facts relating thereto given in the Windsor are not generally known. For instance, the coal consumption of a locomotive with coupled wheels, maintaining power enough to run its load at 60 miles an hour, is about 32 pounds a minute, for a heating surface of 1,400 feet. A locomotive of the single driving-wheel type burns about three pounds a minute less, with the same result as to speed, but less effectiveness in point of tractive power. With a firebox of the Belpaire pattern the fuel expenditure would be a little less. The heating surface of a boiler in first-class passenger engines varies from 1,200 square feet. The engine which is worked at a best pressure of 120 pounds, and which is gained by the area of the numerous tubes passing from the furnace into the smoke-box.

The power which the boiler of such an engine as the Great Western Company's magnificent Waterford is capable of generating is equal to about 1,250 horse. Few passenger locomotives in Great Britain are worked at a best pressure of more than 150 pounds upon the square inch, and many of them maintain their steam-gauge at 175 pounds while running. The weight upon the boiler plates, it calculated out on these figures, will be found to equal many hundreds of tons; and when one considers this mighty pent-up force racking and straining within its steel confines it is a remarkable testimony to the care of construction exercised that an explosion through failure of the boiler to bear the load of its titanic forces is practically unknown.

The average quantity of water consumed in express steaming is very close upon 2,000 gallons an hour. The revolutions of the driving-wheel of a locomotive such, for instance, as the Midland railway use for their fast traffic running at 60 miles an hour is near upon 250 per minute, and the number of blasts of steam exhausted from the chimney at the same speed is 500 a minute. A standard express train on any of our principal railways weighs on an average about 250 tons loaded, exclusive of the engine, which weighs about 80 tons. The impact of this mass when it is hurling along with a momentum of a mile a minute would, as the writer of the article truly enough says, present a figure rather startling to the contemplation of those who are timid of collisions.

### A "MAN-HATER'S" FUNERAL.

There was a great sensation in Vienna the other day at the solemn funeral of the aged Frau Maria Irzang, the sworn "man-hater" and championess of the rights of women against their male oppressors. The old lady had ordered in her will that no males should be allowed to take part in her funeral procession through the streets to the Lichtenthal parish church. Her corpse was followed by a prodigious crowd of women and maidens, and by deputies from various female societies with their banners. Unhappily, the exclusively feminine character of the procession was violated in one instance, though only in one. The splendid banner of the Austrian Jungfrauen-verein proved to be so exceedingly heavy that the society were obliged to hire a man to carry it. The unusual spectacle of regiments of mourning women naturally attracted a large crowd of both sexes and all ages. But although a body of police had been provided to keep order, no unseemly disturbance occurred, and the "man-hater" was carried to her grave amidst the courteous and respectful silence of the masculine "enemy."

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### BALDNESS AND BREATHING.

Dr. Delos Parker has, in the New York Medical Record, propounded a theory that baldness is due to the way we breathe. According to him a certain quantity of air remains unexpired in the minute divisions of the lungs, and in this way gets contaminated with the impurities of the body. This vitiated air is absorbed into the blood, and exercises a select poisonous action upon the growth of the hair. In order to prove this, he collected some of the expired air of a man who had been bald for several years. This collection was made in a flask of water, after it had been kept long enough for the germs to multiply it was well shaken, and the liquid was injected with an ordinary serum syringe. After a dog had been injected for fourteen successive days the hair was lost, while after fifty-two injections the whole of the abdomen was bald. When the injections were stopped the hair gradually grew again.

### PEN SKETCH OF THE CZAR.

A Well-Meaning But a Timorous Man Who Loves Peace.

The feeling which comes uppermost in the mind of anyone who sees the Czar for the first time is one of sincere pity. He is a mild, ox-eyed man, evidently of good intentions, but with a look of sadness and perplexity in him. His voice, the same as his father's, is harsh as the grinding of a coffee mill out of order, for an affection of the throat, under which he has long suffered, renders speech painful to him. He would have made an admirable private gentleman. His Majesty (young Czar) is a stolid and heavy-witted by nature. He is frequently unable to understand even what is wanted of him. He is haunted by fears of sudden death, and by the dread of assassination. At these times he moans about on apparently solitary walks with a large dog, but there is always a policeman handy to keep the sacrilegious from approaching him. When well he devotes much of his time to tailoring, changing his costume with a stolid perseverance, and he likes to be attended by a hump-backed privy councillor, who acts as foil to his fine figure and sets it off, for he is a well-built man, tall and straight, though rather too German in the rigidity of certain of his curves.

His father, who was in many respects a notable sovereign, had him very carefully brought up, and foreseeing that he would want support, perhaps devotion, in after life, to counteract his apathy, surrounded him with some select young men who could be relied upon. This little band of cronies have hung together ever since. They have lived with him on the Emperor's slightest errand, and from the time of his accession until now. He provides for their wants; they dip their fingers into his purse as readily as they do his mind.

He is a loosely-hung Emperor, more like the good fellow of a free-and-easy than the despotic master of millions, when in the midst of his family circle. He has been known to sit in his shirt sleeves, astraddle on a chair, hobnobbing with them.

His Majesty is in the humor he plays a good deal at cards with his own chums, and it is rather a good thing for these gentlemen, for whenever any one of them is in the Czar's hands, he produces the impression that he is in need, as a delicate way of giving it, and this method of bestowing substantial favor is perfectly well understood among them.

The Czar is a good shot, and has done some grand things on bears. He sometimes wears a pelisse, which once or twice he has brought low with his own hands, and it has been so exquisitely dressed that it is valued at about \$2,000, which is even more than is ever paid either for the sable or black fox. He can ride, too, though not in the English fashion, and he would be puzzled by a sharp burst across country. Lately his physicians have recommended him to walk.

His personal deportment is excellent. He stands and marches well. He shows to advantage a uniform, though for several years he has willingly clothed himself in muffs. His manners are those of a gentleman, and there is something extremely sympathetic about him. He produces the impression that one would like to know him better, if only he were not an Emperor. It is this unfortunate circumstance which takes the nobility out of him, sets him upon his dignity, and gives a certain fustiness to his aspect. His father really could be dignified, but he can't. There is a certain nervousness in his proceedings upon great occasions which reminds one more of a drum-major or fustian of Landwehr than an autocrat.

Formerly the Emperor, as might have been expected from one of his lethargic temperament, was averse to moving about; lately he has been troubled by a perpetual restlessness. He lives very plainly, and his table is sparsely served. A breakfast for breakfast, a roast fowl and salad for his dinner form the staple of his fare. His appetite is not robust, and he sleeps badly.—Exchange.

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